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IN TEARS,

Nan Patterson Cut Short Her Renewed Stage Career.

She Made a Poor Showing at Altona, Where Ladies Left the Theater in Disgust.

Altona, Penn., June 7—Discouraged at the support accorded her, disheartened by the severe adverse criticism of her conduct and completely broken in spirit, Nan Randolph Patterson "the Florodora girl," last night severed her connection with The Romance of Panama Company, with which she was touring, and left early this morning for her home in Washington. Miss Patterson was greeted by a slim audience last night, and the few ladies in the house left before the performance was half over although much that was objectionable was expurgated by the manager of the local theater.

Miss Patterson made a miserable showing indicating plainly by her action that she was terribly worried and ill at ease. The majority of the spectators excused her performance in the belief that she was ill.

Miss Patterson consented to a brief interview before she boarded a train for the East in which she said with tears in her eyes and voice broken.

"I am awfully sorry the people have received me so unkindly and treated me so discourteously. When

I went on the stage I believed to be doing right, for I mean to do the right thing. The stage is my profession, and I have no other means to pay the many debts I have contracted. But I would rather do anything than again subject myself to the severe criticism of the past two weeks.

"Oh, if the people had only treated me more kindly," she added brokenly "When I signed a contract everything looked so bright to me after my dreadful experience and I had not the least idea it would turn out as it has."

When asked as to her future course she said:

"I am going to my home in Washington. At some future time, when people learn to think better of me, I may again resume my profession on the stage."

COOPER SCHOOL HOUSE.

June 5.—Our Sunday School is progressing nicely with Rev. G. W. Gordon Superintendent.

Rev. E. W. Coakley filled his regular appointment at Slaty Creek, Saturday and Sunday.

Several of the young people, of this place attended the ball game at Taylor Mines last Sunday evening.

T. R. Black and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives near Sanderfur's Crossing.

Lawrence Allen and sister Bertha, Hartford, visited their brother, J. L. Allen, of this place Saturday and Sunday.

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To Traverse Entire Length of the County.

Definite Assurance That It Will Be Built if Right-of-Way and \$25,000 is Donated.

A proposition to build a railroad from Manisville to Fordsville or Cloverport, extending through the entire length of Ohio county, entering at Point Pleasant and running via Centertown, Hartford and Dundee, is again on foot and it is now almost an assured fact that the road will be built. A company has agreed to build the road at once, work to begin within ninety days if the right-of-way and \$25,000 can be procured in the county by means of voluntary contributions.

In the light of all other railroad propositions, this is by far the most liberal that has ever been offered Ohio county. Hartford and vicinity should raise half the money, Centertown should come up with more than half of the remainder, Sulphur Springs Dundee and Fordsville should more than cover the balance and the smaller places near which it will run should pony up a few thousand and by all means parties over whose ground it will run, should donate the land for the road-bed.

Many of the best and most experienced business men of the county

are taking a deep interest in the matter and are subscribing liberally of their money and freely giving the right-of-way through their land.

The building of such a railroad would greatly develop the sections of the county through which it would pass—in fact, it would materially aid in developing most every section of the county and the value of all property within several miles of the road would be enhanced. The people of Centertown, Hartford, Dundee, Fordsville and other points on the way should be up and doing while the opportunity is afforded.

Sad Death.

Lyman Williams, mention of whose serious illness appeared in THE REPUBLICAN last week, died at the home of his father, Mr. G. B. Williams last Friday evening, at 8:30 o'clock surrounded by loving relatives and friends who had watched by his bedside during his very brief, though fatal illness. It was known from the first that his case was a serious one and after the operation revealed the advanced stage of the trouble it was seen that there was little chance for his recovery. Lyman, as we knew him, was in the morning of young manhood, being only twenty two years old. His uprightness of character and strict adherence to the right had made him a favorite among his friends and employers and a most promising future seemed his portion. His untimely death was one of the saddest events that ever occurred in our little town.

Funeral services were conducted by Revs. W. T. Miller, R. D. Bennett and E. M. Crowe at the Methodist church Saturday afternoon, after which interment took place at Oakwood cemetery.

Memorial Day at Trisler.

Fordsville, June 1, 1905.

R. T. Whittinghill Post No. 11, G. A. R. observed memorial day at Trisler Cemetery, Ohio county, in a very appropriate manner.

The assembly was called at 10 o'clock a. m.

A line by two was formed by the old soldiers numbering about 30. Those were followed by Spanish American soldiers, soldier's wives, widows of soldiers, their children and grandchildren and friends, all bearing flowers.

At cemetery appropriate exercises were observed. Then followed the strewing of flowers upon the graves of soldiers and friends. It was a beautiful scene to behold.

This done the company slowly and quietly marched back to the school house and grounds, where first in order was a very appropriate address delivered by Rev. T. J. Ratcliff, of Fordsville. His theme was "American citizenship as vouched safe to the American people through the value of the American soldiers." His discourse was strong as well as touching.

NOON.

An elegant dinner was spread by the good people of the community which was very thankfully enjoyed. Then followed singing, recitations, readings by children and grandchildren of old veterans. The recital by Master Walker, was greatly appreciated by the people as were all the exercises.

Notes—There were four generations present represented in the person of Mrs. Travis Herenden who is 91 years of age. Her mind is clear and active for one of her advanced age. Splendid order was observed which speaks well for the community. HENRY C. TRUMAN, Chaplain. S. F. KISSINGER, Commander.

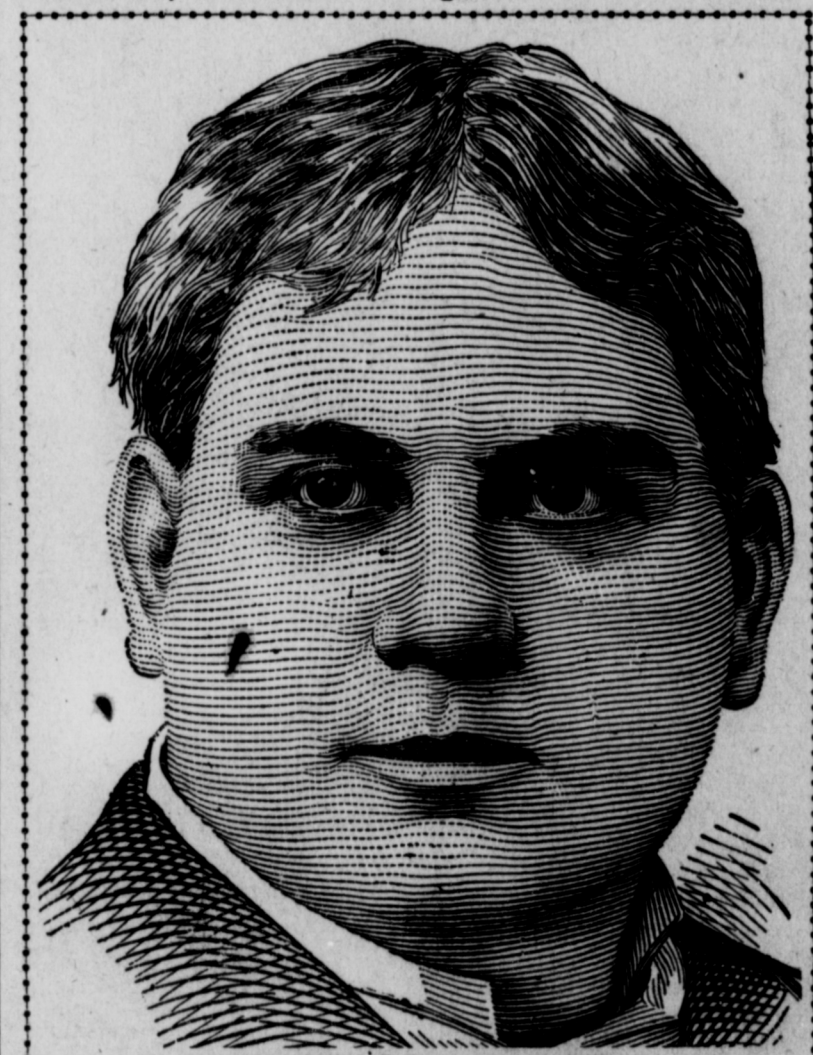
United Confederate Veterans Reunion Louisville, Ky., June 14-16, 1905.

On account above occasion excursion tickets will be sold Beaver Dam to Louisville and return for \$2.35. Tickets on sale June 10, to 13th, limited to June 19th, for return, with privilege of extension to July 10th, by depositing with special agent Cor. 3rd. & Main and payment of fee of 50 cents.

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All correspondence held strictly confidential.

GENERAL NEWS.

Gathered From Various Sources Over the Country—Brief Items.

The Rev. J. F. Milbank, pastor of the Episcopal church at Owensboro, has decided to retire from the pulpit and go on the stage.

Sixteen warship will commence a six days' attack on the defenses of Washington and Baltimore June 11, in order to demonstrate the strength or weakness of some particular parts of the defense.

According to official records in Washington there is no perceptible abatement in the demand for the extension of the rural free delivery service. There are pending 4,708 petitions for new service.

William J. Bryan, as trustee for the late Philip Sherman Bennett, of Connecticut, has sent Gov. Beckham a check for \$400 for the Kentucky State College, it being a part of the \$10,000 left by Mr. Bennett to be given to colleges to be invested in a prize fund.

According to a Washington story Justice Harlan is said to have expressed a desire to resign from the supreme bench and accept the Republican nomination for Governor of Kentucky, with the intention of rounding out his career as Governor of his native State.

Life.

The poet's exclamation: "O Life! I feel thee bounding in my veins," is a joyous one. Persons that can rarely or never make it, in honesty to themselves, are among the most unfortunate. They do not live, but exist; for to live implies more than to be. To live is to be well and strong—to arise

feeling equal to the ordinary duties of the day, and to retire not overcome by them—to feel life bounding in the veins. A medicine that has made thousands of people, men and women, well and strong, has accomplished a great work, bestowing the richest blessings, and that medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. The weak, run-down, or debilitated, from any cause, should not fail to take it. It builds up the whole system, changes existence into life, and makes life more abounding. We are glad to say these words in favor of the readers of our columns.

HERBERT.

June 5.—Henry Beavens and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Midkiff Sunday.

Quite a number of visitors attended church here Sunday they were as follows: Lee Hawkins and wife, of Whitesville, Miss Nicholas, Walton Bruner, of Blackford, Prof. and Mrs. Robert Harrison, of Florel, Misses Gray Bruner, Michael Miller and Eunice Bruner, of Owensboro, John Wright and Amos Kayl, of Roseville, Willie Haynes Ben Swope, Al Phillips and wife and Clellon Crowe, of Etna, Miss Bulah May, of Whitesville, Miss Annie Gardener, of Stanley, James Berry and wife, of Pellville.

Mrs. Emma Miller is dangerously ill with Neuralgia of the heart. Mrs. Sarah Chambers, of Chambers, is spending this week with her son at this place.

Miss Mabel Miller visited relatives at Walnut Grove Monday.

Mrs. Maggie Burdett went to Pellville Saturday to visit Mrs. John Burdett, who is very low with consumption.

James Phillips, of Walnut Grove, filled his weekly appointment at this place Sunday.

Miss Mag Skuner is on the sick list.

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Long & Company At Economy Store

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Millinery Department.

Come in, ladies, and look and feel free And you will go away with joy and glee Because you will find, now bear in mind, Just what you want in Millinery. The colors are bright, And the marked down price is right So you will be pleased, don't you see?

Ribbons or Flowers, Hats or Tams All of these pretty things right at your hands, Violets or poppies it don't make any dif, For bargains in this line just see Mrs. Smith.

Shoes.

Come in and look; you will think they are nice, When you see the marked down price, Don't fool around and forget about this, but Come right now and get a Low Cut.

If you think though you would rather have Shoes, You can sure get 'em, it's just as you choose, We have them in White, Tan, Patent and Blues, Come in and see them there is no chance to lose.

Gents' Furnishings.

We will sell you a Hat, Shirt, Tie and Collar And the whole thing won't amount to a dollar. Umbrellas, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders and Sox, And the summer time price will knock all others out of the box.

Underwear.

Here is a bargain for one and all, It matters not how large or how small, If you are looking for a deal that is perfectly square Just take a look at our underwear.

Carpet Department.

See our Carpets, Mattings and Rugs, We guarantee this is no humbug, The patterns are lovely, pretty and bright, Come and look at 'em—the price is all right.

Clothing.

Boys, young men and old men, You want to come in and see them, You don't have to go up the winding stairs To get a good Suit of clothes that wears, For we will soon have them on the first floor, If you see them once you will like them "shore."

We can show you Suits, either dark or light, And we know the marked down price is right, Suits that used to sell for ten, Come in now and look again, You can buy 'em now for just one-half, Come bring the cash and we will make you laugh.

Dress Goods.

This department is chuek full of bargains to the brim,

Insertings and Laces suitable to trim, Organdies, Mulls and Linen Pongeelette Oh! they are beauties and don't you forget Ten-quarter linens for Shirt Waist Suits, And beautiful silks—oh, 'twill be a surprise For the price is right you bet your boots And you can't see it otherwise.

Hurry, up don't wait, don't ever delay, Or you will miss the big bargains we have in Pique, Persian Lawns and Paris Muslins and pretty dotted Swiss,

And so many nice things we can't mention in this, Remnants are going at any old price, Come and look once you will sure come twice, We are thankful to our good people here and about And invite them to come back again; It won't be long until you'll have a quicker route, To come to Hartford on the passenger train.

It is now too late and the customers won't wait For us to tell you more, But you won't complain you can see it so plain, When you trade at the Economy Store.

LONG & COMPANY,
Hartford, Kentucky.

DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

Husband and Wife Quarrelled 6,110 Times in 14 Years.

Husband Made Note of Each Spat and can now Tell What Each one was About.

In the vicinity of Augusta Georgia lives a farmer, by name John Madgett, who has applied to the courts of Georgia to release him from the galling bonds of matrimony on the ground of incompatibility of temper. During the fourteen years of their conjugal relation Mr. Madgett makes affidavit that he and his wife have quarrelled 6,110 times. Mr. Madgett is thus statistically precise because, from the very day the preacher tried the knot, he kept a domestic diary with a possible view to future divorce contingencies. Having thus acted as the historian of the little domestic infelicities that are wont to sometimes ripple even the placid surface of true love, Mr. Madgett is enabled to furnish his lawyer with a tabulated classification of the sources and nature of these divers and sundry conjugal spats. It seems, from Mr. Madgett record that the period of his double blessedness was fruitful of 436 quarrels a year, to strike a yearly average of the imposing aggregate, which gives an average of a quarrel a day and some to spare.

It appears from the concrete record that the most prolific sources of strife in the Madgett household has been late meals—1,589 scraps are duly entered on this common score of domestic unpleasantness. Next on the sad list is "Because she asked for money, 1,241." Because she was chided for tracking mud on the kitchen floor caused 821 "scenes" in the kitchen. Because he snored raised 423 nocturnal disturbances, and her snoring added 136 to the list; 145 times they said hard things at each other because she ripped seams with his razor, and 163 times he demonstrated his displeasure because she did not make dumplings with the chicken stew. Her cold feet at night caused him to raise the roof 123 times, and 54 times they exchanged heated words and sticks of stove-wood because she sold the eggs the butter and bought calico dress patterns with the proceeds. Forty-three times there was trouble because she laughed gleefully when he stubbed his toe on the rocking chair in the dark, and 41 times because he neglected to cut his nails. (Finger or toe not started.) Because he broke platts brought on 136 disputes. Because his boot hurt him caused 17; because he wouldn't quarrel, 13, and because the clock ran down, 11. Six times they quarrelled because he wouldn't go to church, and four times each because she threw his pipe into the stove and because she wore red ribbons on her hat. They had three quarrels because the house smelled like onions and three because she made coffee without an egg in it. Twice they quarrelled because it rained, and twice because she saw the moon over her left shoulder.

There were also single or singular quarrels—quarrels over a specific subject, and which, not admitting of classification, show up only in the scattering column. Some of the subjects over which they quarrelled once are these: Because the black hen's leg was broken; because the cow choked on a raw turnip; because the canary bird died; because Bryan was not elected president; because he was not a Baptist; because the house smelled of cabbage; because the horse ran away; because Germany wouldn't give up Alsace-Lorraine; because a dog howled; because God made Eve out of one of Adam's ribs; because alligators lay eggs; because Solomon had 1,000 wives and no end of concubines; because the Mormons are not Indians; because pineapples do not grow in the creek; because he shot the pig; because she sat down on his hat, and because they had no children.

A Hotel Yarn.

The fat drummer leaned over the hotel desk, and, grabbed the first piece of paper he could lay his hands on, began to figure up his experience account for the day. The slip happened to be a "call" blank, and he began pencilling his figures in the 30 column. First he jotted down \$1:50 for buggy hire, then 15 cents for stamps, 35 cents for car fare, \$1:60 far express charges, 50 cents for trunks straps 5 cents for paper and a quarter for a messenger. Down at the bottom, as an afterthought, he put 40, and wrote "beer" after it. Well, at 3:30 in the morning there was trouble, and plenty of it. The night clerk supposed, of course, that the calls had been left in the ordinary way, and while he was a little surprised that so many guests should want to get up at such an unearthly hour, he told the boys to wake Nos. 150, 15, 35, 160, 110, 50, 5 and 25 and carry a quart of beer to No. 40, which happened to be occupied by a Methodist minister—that's all.

Bilious Bill the sleepy head. Dearly loved to lay a-bed; Couldn't wake him if you shook him; When his slumbers overtook him. Suddenly he started waking Ev'ry morn when day was breaking. What's this magic necromancer? EARLY RISERS, that the answer, Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

Do a Snake Eat Grass.

I want you to submit a question and settle a controversy for me. Is a snake a vegetarian? Does he eat fruits, herbs, roots and the like? Some say that he eats nothing but rds, insects, &c.

The observer takes great pleasure in putting the question, and here is hoping that some one who known will answer promptly.

The question in plain old North Carolina English is: "Do a snake eat grass?"

FIRST AMERICAN FLAG.

Various Designs Recommended But Final Selection was Made by Gen. Washington.

The first American flag was adopted by the great and general court of the Massachusetts colony and was a white ground, upon it the words, "An appeal to Heaven." This was intended for the navy, but was used to some extent on the land. Gen. Washington designed a flag for the use of the army, which was thirteen strips of the English union jack. This was raised over his army January 1, 1776, at Cambridge, Mass., and the next day planted on Prospect Hill, Somerville, Mass., where now stands a monument in its honor. This was used by the army for some six months. After the declaration of independence, a national flag was wanted, and a committee was appointed for the purpose. Many designs were presented. One was a circular chain, each link grasped by a hand, and in the center a pine tree, indicating by the tree liberty; links of the chain, strength in unity by the hands we will defend it. Another was a white ground with a beaver upon it indicating industry. This was thought not to be significant enough. Another was a sun, and another a moon, but these were thought to smack a Mohammedanism. A cross was presented. This was declared to be a symbol of idolatry; and besides being on the English flag, they wanted all the English out of it. It was decided to have thirteen strips seven red and six white and leave canton to General Washington. He suggested a star which was satisfactory to the committee, and was adopted by congress June 14, 1777. Gen. Washington took the plan of Betsy Ross, who had skillfully done sewing for him and had a reputation for skilled needlework. When she looked the design over that Washington had drawn, she noticed that the stars were six-pointed, and flatly refused to make it if the stars were to be six-pointed. When asked her reason she said that a six-pointed star was a sight to heraldry, and that the stars in the sky always looked as if they were five pointed. Taking a piece of paper, she folded it, and with one clip of the scissors she cut a five-pointed star and presented it to Gen. Washington. This so pleased the committee that the flag was made as she desired it. It remained so far eighteen years, when it was changed in 1795 to fifteen strips and fifteen stars, the designed of Senator Bradley, of Vermont. In 1818 it was changed again to thirteen strips and twenty stars, with a star to be added for each state on the 4th of July succeeding the admission of such state, and this is the flag of to-day.

AMAZING FEATS.

Of Women Spies Employed by the Russian Government.

(THE RUS.)

Russian history during the last 20 or 30 years would not have been what it has been if there had been no Vera Sassulitch, of whom nothing is heard in these days. When the famous General Trepoff was only at the beginning of his career she was his invaluable assistant.

Trepoff was the detested enemy of the Nihilists, and he was very anxious to obtain inside information as to their doings and their plans. Suddenly, one day in 1878, he was fired at whilst daiving through the streets of St. Petersburg by no other than the soldiery, and was charged with the attempted murder of Trepoff, being treated in the ordinary manner; but to the amazement of the public, she was acquitted!

On her release the Nihilists gathered about her, desiring to admit such a friend of the people to their closest acquaintance. In this way she was admitted to all their private circles and was made acquainted with their secrets. These she at once communicated to the Russian Government. The truth was that the whole business, including the attempt on his life, was faked by Trepoff himself, and it was simply a clever ruse to get from the Nihilists what could not be got in any other way. Thereafter Vera Sassulitch played the part of Government spy on innumerable occasions.

There succeeded her as the Czar's chief spy one Emma Bellomo, who became the Countess della Torre. She was a woman of great mental ability and boundless ambition, and when her husband died she offered her services as special secret agent to the Czar, and soon became indispensable to the Russian court. Whenever a document had to be secured she secured it, and she allowed nothing, not even a life, to stand in her way. By one remarkable and romantic coup early in her career she obtained the unbounded confidence of the Czar. Information had been received by the Russian Secret Police that a plot against the monarch was being hatched conjointly in Rome and Paris. It was suspected that the plot was to be carried out through the instrumentality of a high official of the Czar's household, but all efforts to identify him failed.

Thereupon this woman spy was put on the scent, and she at once went to Rome, where she ingratiated herself with the Nihilists, and at last found out the name she wanted. She returned in haste to St. Petersburg and informed the Czar of what she had discovered; but he refused to believe her, as the man named was one of his closest attendants and most intimate friends. "Then," exclaimed the Countess, "I must prove to your Majesty that what I tell you is true. In half an hour I must crave permission to see you again." When she left the Czar she at once sought out the officer in question, and handed over to him a package of paper, impressing upon him that on no account must he allow them to leave his person, "keep them with you," she said. "On your noble person they are safe in my hiding place they may be found." Her fascinations were too much for the officer, and he agreed. She then returned to the Czar and at once said to him: "I beg that your Majesty will now at once summon this gentleman to your presence, and that you observe closely the Count's deportment and features when he sees me at your side." A few minutes later the officer entered the apartment, and when he saw the Countess with the Czar he realized the state of affairs and turned pale with terror.

"It is as I informed your Majesty," said the Countess. "If you will search him you will find the proof." It was found in one of his riding boots. The Czar ordered that he should be exiled to Siberia for life, but there was a general impression that he was murdered in his cell.

When Japs Lost at Sea.

Probably most newspaper readers are unaware that the United States once fought a naval battle with Japan, in which the Japanese were not victors. The American force, commanded by David S. McDougal, consisted of the Wyoming, a second-class 720-ton sloop carrying six guns. The Japanese had three improvised warships, converted merchantmen

mounting 20 guns among them. These were aided by seven land forts with thirty guns of the best type of the time. The action, fought July 10, 1862, lasted just one hour. At the end of that time the Japs didn't have any warships left and the seven forts had retired from business. The Wyoming was a little shattered, but still in the ring.

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VOYAGE OF BLUNDERS.

Rojestvensky's Trip Likened to That of the Spanish Armada.

Like the famous fiasco of the Invincible Armada, sent out by Spain in 1588 to conquer England and force it to accept the Catholic religion, the voyage of Admiral Rojestvensky's great fleet from the Baltic Sea to the Korean Strait has been a cruise of blunders. Leaving the Baltic in October last, the Russian fleet had hardly got well under way on its 15,000 mile journey before there was trouble.

The North Sea incident, so called—firing on British trawlers in the North Sea—almost involved Great Britain in war with the Czar. That hardly had been averted when other woes followed. Hampered by the older, patched-up vessels and by many merchantmen carrying coal and other supplies, Rojestvensky made slow progress. For days and for weeks even not a line of news from his fleet could be had.

Finally it was learned he had anchored in an open roadstead off Madagascar, where he was drilling his crews pending the arrival of the second squadron. He effected a junction with this second batch of ships and later was joined by a third squadron. On March 16 last he left Madagascar waters and disappeared until April 10, when he was reported as passing Singapore. He passed into the China Sea with his entire fleet, and then began a game of hide and seek with French ports as refuges for the Russians that again threatened international complications.

Saigon, Honkohe Bay and Kanton Bay, all neutral places, were used freely by Rojestvensky in the latter part of April and early in May, while he drilled his crews, repaired damages done by typhoons, took on stores and recoaled from the colliers. Little news leaked out, one of the most sensational bits being a report of a great battle on April 12, and one somewhat later o

the capture of several colliers by Japan.

Ever since the Russians' entrance into the China Sea the world's greatest sea fight has been expected. Togo is known to have been practically in touch with his enemy through scout ships every since the Russian Admiral passed Singapore. The Japanese protests about Rojestvensky using French ports, even before the news had leaked out that he had anchored therein, conclusively proved this.

Rojestvensky had no chance of eluding Togo if the latter wanted to fight. The tremendous advantage the latter possessed in his tried crews and proven ships overbalanced, the experts said, the Russians' preponderance in battle ships.

The heterogeneous character of the Russian armada, too, was believed to be a factor against Rojestvensky. The speed of his fighting ships was restricted to that of his colliers, while the latter's bottoms are so dirty after months in tropical and semi-tropical waters that they could not nearly make their maximum speed.

To Consumptives.


The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dreaded disease Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis and all throat and lung Maladies. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription, which will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing, will please address, Rev. Edward A. Wilson, Brooklyn, New York. 32ry

Away Back.

You've had a long experience as a politician, pa?"


"Oh yes, my son. I can remember when there was harmony in the Democratic party."

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DOGS AS DETECTIVER.

Cats and Monkeys Have Also Played the Part of Policemen.

The Paris correspondent of a London newspaper recently told the story of a monkey that acted as a policeman.

A thief named Leballet entered by night the fowl-house of Mme. Houldin, of Clichy, and was about to retire with a number of dead birds when a huge black form sprang at the throat.

The thief shrieked with terror and the householder, opened her window saw a monkey, property of her neighbor, in the strangling him. The animal was driven off, and the thief badly injured, conveyed to a hospital.

The owner of the monkey afterwards declared to an interviewer that the animal had been trained to fly at any suspicious character who appeared near the house after dark. It had once, it appeared, attacked overzealous policeman who entered the yard to look for possibly burglars.

The German Volkszeitung recently published a still more remarkable instance of animal smartness.

A dresden doctor named Werner was stunned and bound by burglars when asleep, his keys taken and his safe ransacked. As the attack was made in the dark he failed, of course to describe his assailants. The dog chained in the yard had not even barked, and the victim of the outrage was so disgusted that he proposed to give it away.

A few days later two men were arrested on suspicion. They had been seen in the neighborhood of the doctor's house, but as none of the stolen goods were traced the case seemed weak.

The police suggested that the dog might recognize them. The suspects were mixed up with a crowd of other prisoners, and one by one the men defiled through a room in which the dog waited, in chance of a detective.

The first three men the dog sniffed at but otherwise ignored. When the fourth prisoner appeared growled fiercely and attempted to seize him by the trousers. He was one of the suspects. The other was recognized in the same way. The men were retained in custody, and finally further evidence was obtained which led to their convictions.

During the severe fogs of last Christmas a London newspaper described how a mweing cat had led a passer-by into a lane where a lost child was carying bitterly.

In 1890 a malicious visitor gave poisoned nuts to two monkeys in the St. Petersburg Zoological Gardens. The monkeys became seriously ill, but recovered. A policeman was put on duty at the cage to prevent further outrage and catch the culprit in cases he renewed his attempt.

A fortnight after his appointment he noticed that on an innocent-looking old gentleman approaching the cage the two recovered monkeys grimaced feacely and flew at the bars.

The old man was identified as a supposed harmless lunatic named Plaskin. He admitted having poisoned the monkeys.

The excise at officials Posen, in Eastern Germany, have a dog trained to detect illicit distilleries, which flourish in many villages.

A mixture of either, forbidden by law, is drunk by many persons instead of brandy, and the Posen dog's acute sense of smell enables it to detect the cottages where the volatile liquid is being prepared. Elsass, the dog in question, has several puppies, all of which are being taught their parent's profession.

Dogs are used in many countries to detect smuggling. On the Austria shores of the Adriatic a considerable contraband trade is being done in Italian and Levantine goods and many smuggling expeditions are foiled by canine vigilance.

At intervals of a mine or so along the coast are kneels which have dogs taught to bark loud on the appearance of boats at night. When the wind is blowing on shore it is said that these animals custom officers can detect a boat a mile from land, however dark the night.

The monks of the Great St. Bernard had some time ago a dog which actually captured a murderer. A



LILIES OF HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

In a recent interview with Mrs. Lily Langtry, she very wisely said: "The fact that I believe in the superior force of mind over matter does not blind me to the truth that the foundation of every successful life is good health; that the key-stone to physical beauty is perfect physical health."

"A sick woman cannot be a beautiful woman, nor can she be anything but what English call a poor-spirited woman."

"To a great extent a woman's beauty is measured by her vitality—by her health."

"Work, Sunshine, Exercise, Water and Soap, Plain, Nourishing Food, Lots of Fresh Air, and a Happy, Contented Spirit—these, as you say, 'honest and true,' is my working rule for youth, youthful spirits and youthful looks."

One great secret of youth and beauty for the young woman or the mother is the proper understanding of her womanly system and well-being. Every woman, young or old, should know herself and her physical condition. A good way to arrive at this knowledge is to get a good doctor book, such for instance as "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," by R. V. Pierce, M. D., which can readily be procured by sending twenty-one cents in one-cent stamps for paper-bound volume, or thirty-one cents for cloth-bound copy, and addressing Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Chas. Boykin, of Acme, La., Concordia Parish, speaking of his wife's experience, says: "I write you, thanking you for the benefit of your wonderful 'Favorite Prescription,' and also the 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I find that your remedies have done more good than all the others that I have used. I thought my wife would die at times; now am able to say that through you and your medicine we have a fine boy two months old. Weight, 18 lbs."

It is a wonder to the people to see my wife going about with a baby. She is able to do her own housework, can walk six miles with baby without stopping and feels as though she could stand all day; so healthy, she can eat anything. Before using your medicine my wife's weight was 125 lbs., and now she is weighing 175 lbs. She only used 12 bottles of your medicine. My mother-in-law, also my sister, have been cured entirely of uterine trouble by your 'Favorite Prescription.'"

taveler on the famous pass was murdered in the snow by an Italian navy, one of the dogs sent out for the purpose of succeeding snowbound wayfarers came upon the corpse.

Instead of returning to the hospice he pursued the assassin several miles along the road and, biting his leg lamed him so badly that he was unable to proceed. The St. Bernard mounted guard over him and waited until the villagers came up and arrested the assassin, the corpse having meantime been discovered.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

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What is probably the longest telegraph circuit in the world has been in operation for over a year on the lines of the Indo-European Telegraph Company, between London and Teheran, Persia's capital. This circuit is 4,000 miles in length and in its course it traverses the north sea for 200 miles and passes through Belgium, Germany, Russia, Turkey in Asia and Persia. The Wheatstone automatic system of transmission and reception is employed on the circuit transmitting messages at the rate of eighty to 400 words a minute.

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ODD EXPERIENCE

Had by Young Telegraph Operator Who Received Queer Warnings.

(Milwaukee Sentinel.)

"I was once a telegraph operator in the employe of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad at Oconto, Wis.," said Edward H. Carleton recently. "But an experience I had one night up in that town when I was but a mere boy, drove me out out of the business, and I have never pounded a brass key since."

"I was the night operator, going to work at 7 in the evening, and remaining on duty until 7 o'clock the next morning. I seldom had to take any train orders and my chief duty was to report the passing of trains to the dispatcher. So the long hours used to pass night after night without incident, and I become so lonesome that I used to run into the woods near by and yell, just to hear a human voice."

"One morning about two o'clock just after the limited had gone and I was sitting dozing in my chair, the sounder clicked my office call four or five times and then I jumped to the to the key and answered. There came to my ears in slow, measured, and almost solemn Mrose, this warning:

"'Thy sin will find thee out!'" "Every 15 minutes through the long night the Biblical threat was repeated, and as it was not signed I had no means of identifying the sender. At 5 o'clock in the morning the unknown sent:

"'The wages of sin is death!'"

"He sent no warnings, but the experience so searched me, boy that I was, that white faced and trembling. I wired the dispatcher that I had quit, took the first train to Marinette and paid a board bill that I owed in that town. I had a vague idea that some occult agency had been at work to tell me that my hour of doom was approaching, and the unpaid board bill was the only sin of omission or commission that I could recollect. I have never touched a key since that night."

"It was ascertained later that the night operator at Pansaukee siding had become suddenly demented during the night, and, imagining he was a prophet of old, had telegraphed similar warning to every operator on the division."

Furious Fighting.

"For seven years," writes Geo. W. Hoffman, of Harper, Wash., "I had a bitter battle, with chronic stomach and liver trouble, but at last I won, and cured my diseases, by the use of Electric Bitters. I unhesitatingly recommended them to all, and don't intend in the future to be without them in the house. They are certainly a wonderful medicine, all have cured such a bad case as mine." Sold, under guarantee to do the same for you, by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggist.

Togo's Lesson.

(Lexington Leader.) Bluntly put, the lesson Togo, the victorious admiral in the Korean Straits, gives to the world is simply "get busy, stay at it, and say nothing."

This remarkable man was born in a heathen nation, according to the Christian acceptance of the term heathen, and was brought up in an exacting school, the relentless school of hard work, hard fighting and close observation of men and things.

If all reports concerning his life work, his training, his methods and achievements be true, this short-statured, grey-bearded, grim-visaged, serious, taciturn heathen, this bull-dog of the Japanese navy, sea-devil, patriot and citizen of another civilization, has brought a message to the modern world which will cover the earth as the water cover the sea and be a living gospel to all men of all nations, be they heathen or

christian; and Togo's gospel is the gospel of work. His record shows he was the incarnation of labor. He was never idle. He allowed none about him to be so. He thought much and talked little. His country never called upon him but that he was prepared. His long picturesque, immortal career establishes the supreme fact that he was always prepared.

With a navy of less strength and ess rapidity of action, manned by a smaller crew, he met the powerful, alert, brilliant, strategist and idol of the greatest empire on which the sun shone, shattered his seemingly invincible armada, scattering it like winter's withered leaves, and sending the leader to captivity and disgrace.

He was always on watch. When Russia was guessing where Rojstvensky was, Togo knew. When St. Petersburg was making curious figures and unmeaning lines on singular shaped maps to figure out the prospective route their admiral would take in a given instance, this man Togo could have sent them a brief message at any moment that would have made their labors unnecessary. And this has been his whole course throughout this war, as well as that of his compatriots.

What is the real reason this simple, sincere, single-hearted heathen and his fellow heathens, have been able to confound the most stupendous nation on the globe? Why is it he and they have reversed all prediction, overwhelmed every force sent against them on land and sea, and delivered a blow at the end that threatens now to shatter a throne and hurl an empire into confusion? The answer is, action, simple, decisive, prompt action.

It was the old, established, worn-out, effete, indigent, vainglorious bragadocio against the new, aggressive, single-hearted; it was bad women and vodka against food morals and hard work, and the latter triumphed as it will ever triumph. This is the lesson of the hour.

Torture of a Preacher.

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. oore, pastor of the Baptist church, or Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: I suffered agonies, because of a purulent cough, resulting from the grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried many remedies, without relief, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough, and saved me from consumption." A great cure for diseased conditions of Throat and Lungs. At Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggists; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial Bottle free.

Cables to Japan Costly.

(New York Commercial.) His size, his color and his eyes indicated his Japanese blood. He stepped briskly to the cable office in the corridor of a Fifth avenue hotel and offered a long cablegram.

"I think that will cover the cost," he said in pure English, laying down more than \$700 in bills of large denomination. The receiver for the cable company counted the words and figured for a few minutes, referring repeatedly to the book on the desk. He counted the money, nodded and said: "Exactly right, sir; thank you."

A Commercial reporter who was standing near asked: "Do you have many dispatches like that at this office?"

"Oh, yes. The Washington legation makes its headquarters at this hotel when in town, and we get a good many cables for the Japanese Government. These Secretaries have every dispatch figured to a cent and always pay cash. The cables are in cipher. They might be good reading now that the war is getting interesting again."

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NEW YORK'S breach of 'promise
suit for \$250,000 bids fair to over-
shadow Nan Patterson entirely.

IT IS an open question as to who is
really sitting on the lid in Philadel-
phia. Nobody seems to be able to
hold it down.

IT HAS been demonstrated that
the Russian warships can beat the
Japanese in one direction at least—
toward the bottom.

IOWA physicians are compelled by
law to cut their beard. Ordinarily
it would be more satisfactory to pa-
tients if they would cut their bills.

OHIO county tax-payers can easily
see the long ears of graft protrud-
ing from the lions skin of reform.
The tax rate is ten per cent. higher
this year than for five years.

THAT Oklahoma woman who ac-
cuses her husband of stealing \$1,800
from her bustle, had no other alter-
native. It would not do to accuse
any other man of the theft.

JIM and a few of the other Har-
gises have again been arrested on
the charge of murder. Now if they
were only placed in jail and kept
there, assassination would soon be-
come a lost art in Breathitt.

AN inventive genius up in Wiscon-
sin has perfected a liquid, one drop
of which will turn a glass of ice
water into purest beer. It will be
a great snap when a man can carry
the elements of a barrel of beer in
his hip pocket.

THERE are many who emphasize
the fact that Mr. Cortelyou has
gained prominence by keeping his
mouth shut. They are respectively
reminded that Mr. Bryan is an evi-
dence that there are other ways of
achieving that end.

REPUBLICANS continue to add
strength to the ticket by nominating
good and substantial men for Magis-
trates and Constables. A few
weeks ago Cromwell District gave
us W. P. Miller for Magistrate and
and R. M. Young for Constable.
Last Saturday Sulphur Springs did
it in great style by giving us W. S.
Dean for Magistrate and Walter
Midkiff for Constable, while only last
Monday Centertown came forward
with two excellent gentlemen, Her-
bert Render for Magistrate and W.
H. Hill for Constable. This splen-
did array of good citizens will ma-
terially aid the entire ticket and the
most excellent ticket for county

offices will in turn, help the candi-
dates for District offices—in fact, the
party has drawn winning cards in
every hand.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

June 7.—The ice cream supper
given by the Willing Helpus Society
Saturday night was quite a success.
There was a large crowd present
and everyone had a fine time. The
proceeds will be given for the ben-
efit of the new church.

Westerfield Bros. have their new
saw mill in running shape now, and
are cutting the lumber for the new
bank.

The A. S. of E. met Saturday af-
ternoon, being present a large crowd.
Mr. Kirk and sister, of Habit,
spent Saturday and Sunday with
Luther Johnson and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Tichenor are visiting
relatives at Centertown this week.
John Davis, who is at the bedside
of his father, G. L. Davis, of Glen-
ville, was at home Saturday night.
He returned Sunday.

Messrs. Claude and Oscar Shultz,
of Narrows, visited Dr. and Mrs.
Shultz last week.

Miss Ada Williams is visiting rela-
tives and friends at Andersonville,
this week.

Miss Lizzie Mae Veatch visited
friends here this week.

Small Skillman, of Owensboro,
visited his mother, Mrs. Kate Skill-
man, a few days last week.

Mrs. Ethel Bartlett is visiting
friends and relatives in Owens-
boro.

Miss Jessie Potts, of Masonville,
spent Saturday with Miss Nora
Davis.

Mr. Steve Tucker and sister, of
Nuckols, visited Mrs. Kate Williams
Saturday and Sunday.

Charley Turner and wife spent
Saturday night and Sunday with Dr.
Tichenor and family.

Miss Georgia Skillman has gone to
Owensboro to attend the commence-
ment at the Owensboro College.

Mrs. G. D. Westerfield is on the
sick list.

Death of Mrs. Wade.

Mrs. Wade, of White Oak, Ill., died
near Render, on May 30 last, while
on a visit to her parents Mr. and
Mrs. G. W. Burton.

The deceased had a husband and
nine children at her home in Illinois,
and when her relatives here lost all
hope of her recovering, they hurriedly
telephoned to the husband and chil-
dren to come at once, but the mes-
sage failed to reach them in time,
and although the remains were held
as long as possible, the husband and
children did not reach here until the
after the funeral. And the scenes
at the parent home after their ar-
rival, were heartrending, the grief
of the husband and children was sad
and touching.

The remains were buried at the
Goshen cemetery, Rev. Boggess, of
Beaver Dam, officiating.

So heaven we know she's gone,
And there we'll meet to part no more
When our work on earth is done.
L. F.

Centertown District Convention.

The delegates from the various
voting precincts in Centertown Magis-
terial district met at Centertown
June 5th and was called to order by
W. H. Hill. Whereupon S. A. Bratcher
and E. M. Kimmel were elected
Chairman and Secretary, respectively.
Motion carried to appoint a committee
on resolutions. The following resolu-
tion were reported and adopted:

Resolved, That we indorse the

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the Best
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action of the precinct convention
which met at their respective places
on June 3rd, 1905 for the purpose
of nominating candidates for Magis-
trate and Constable. Second, We
further congratulate the successful
candidates and heartily pledge them
our support.

W. P. ASHEY,
C. R. STEVENS,
E. W. SMITH, Com.

Mr. H. H. Davis in a pointed talk
withdrew in the interest of Mr. S. H.
Render whereupon Mr. Render re-
ceived the unanimous vote of the con-
vention. In like manner Mr. W. H.
Hill received the unanimous vote of
the convention for constable.

S. A. BRATCHER Ch'm'n,
E. M. KIMMEL Sec'y.

BEDA.

June 6.—Crops are needing rain
in this section and business is very
good.

A. E. Ross, Centertown, has open-
ed a drug store here and is ready for
business.

Several from here attended ser-
vices at Noreek Sunday.

W. C. Bennett and family spent
Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Martha
Ward.

Walter Parks, Southerland, visited
his father, W. Q. Parks, Saturday
and Sunday.

Misses Clara Bennett and Mary
Parks returned from Owensboro,
Saturday.

Willie Newcomb, of the Washing-
ton neighborhood, is very ill.

Several from here attended the
ice cream supper at Pleasant Ridge
Saturday night and all report a
pleasant time.

Mrs. Mildred Bennett is no better.
Dudley Bennett, who has been vis-
iting his parents here, returned to
Campaign, Ill., last Friday.

Mrs. Bettie Iler, who has been sick
for several days, is improving.

Miss Stella Tanner, Owensboro, is
visiting Miss Nettie Anderson.

Rev. Moorman, Owensboro, will
preach at the Methodist church Sun-
day.

Wayne Ellis and wife, of near
Hartford, spent Saturday night with
Mrs. A. C. Ellis and Sunday with
B. T. Greer and wife.

Uncle Joe Bnnet, of the Pleasant
Ridge neighborhood, is visiting
relatives here.

W. Q. Parks went to Hartford
Tuesday.

Miss Ada Hoover, Barnetts Creek,
is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Alice Car-
son.

Miss Flora Baird, of the Chappell
neighborhood, is spending the week
with her grandmother, Mrs. W. B.
Tichenor.

WHITESVILLE.

June 6.—Mrs. Livia Cecil and
daughter, Haffey, spent Saturday
night and Sunday with relatives at
McHenry.

A crowd of young folks from here
went to Sulphur Springs Sunday.

Clarence Keown and wife, Hart-
ford, visited relatives here last
week.

Miss Zula Boarman and Tilden
Morrison, Fordsville, spent Sunday
at Pellville.

Ellis Jones and wife, Monett, Mo.;
John Jones and family, Fordsville;
Mrs. John Smith, Horse Branch,
spent Sunday here with Dr. Wed-
ding and family.

C. L. Obenchain, accompanied by
Boyd McCarty, spent Saturday night
at Pellville with the former's par-
ents.

Robt. Bell and daughter, Nellie,
left for Indiana Sunday where they
will spend several days visiting rela-
tives.

Sam Turner, Pleasant Ridge, spent
Tuesday here in interest of the pub-
lic school.

License to Wed.

The following permits to wed have
been granted by County Clerk M. S.
Ragland since our last report:

Shelby Wallace, Noreek, age 40
years, to Oma McKernan, Cent-
ertown, age 24 years; Ira L. Murphey,
Fordsville, age 21 years, to Iva D.
Kirk, Fordsville, age 18 years.

PROGRAM.

Of the Twenty-Fourth Annual
Commencement of Hartford
College June 13 to 16, 1905.

STUDIES IN LITERATURE.

Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. In-
strumental solo—Miss Cassie Riley.
Literature of the Victorian Age—
Miss Winona Stevens. The Power
of Story and Song—Miss Mary Keown.
College Paper, (part first)—Miss Wil-
lye Smith. Instrumental Solo—Miss
Pearl Thomas. Heroines of History
Miss Annie Patton. The Mission of
the Anglo-Saxon—McDowell Fogle.
Vocal Solo—Miss Florence Morton.
Paper (part second)—Miss Katie
Thomas. The City of our Ideals—
Miss Lillie Miller. Music, (duet)
Misses Woerner and Nall. The
Development of the English Novel—
Miss Mamie Shown. Paper, (part
third)—Miss Lena Miller. Instru-
mental Solo—Miss Nall.

MUSICAL.

Wednesday evening by Misses Woe-
rner and Nall.

ALUMNI.

Thursday evening—Opening Ad-
dress—R. Holbrook. Historian—J.
S. Gleen. The first Literary Socie-
ties—Miss Gibson. Original Poem—
Mrs. Carson. The New Graduates—
R. E. L. Simmerman. Remarks—
L. N. Gray. Music—Mrs. Petrie,
Mrs. Bean, Miss Morton, Messrs.
Taylor and Crowe.

GRADUATING EXERCISES.

Friday evening at eight o'clock. Mu-
sic—Orchestra. Invocation—Rev. J.
H. Burnett. Music—Orchestra. Ora-
tion, "Japan,"—Charles Bennett.
Music—Orchestra. Oration, "Tri-
umphs of Christian Religion,"—Cecil
Stevens. Vocal Solo—Miss Florence
Morton. Address by Rev. Frank M.
Thomas, Owensboro. Music—Or-
chestra. Presentation of Diplomas
—Judge J. S. Glenn, President of
Board. Farewell to Class—Miss

Lillie Miller. Benediction—Rev. R.
D. Bennett.

Friday morning, June 16, at 9
o'clock, promotions and exercises at
the College by the children in the
various grades.

RENDER.

June 6.—Messrs. Sam Jennings
and Harry Draper were in Hartford
last Wednesday.

G. W. Baize was in Beaver Dam
last Wednesday.

Mrs. R. J. Englesby and daugh-
ter, Miss Madie, were in Beaver Dam
last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gwyn and son,
Fred, left for Herrin, Ill. last Thurs-
day for a two weeks visit.

Mrs. Jno. S. Spence was in Beaver
Dam last Thursday.

G. L. Miller, Cloverport, was here
last Friday.

Prof. and Mrs. V. M. Moseley left
last Friday for a months visit to re-
latives in Hancock and Breckenridge
counties.

Marion Tipton, of Rochester, was
here last Friday.

Harry Bridge, of Louisville, was
here last Friday.

Miss Annie Keown, Hartford, was
the guest of Miss Isabel Fair last
week.

Dan M. Kelly, of McHenry has ac-
cepted the position as electrician for
the C. C. & I. Company at this
place. S. K. Salsburg resigned.
Dan is a good man, we wish him
much success.

C. L. Long left for Nashville,
Tenn., last Saturday.

Mrs. M. E. Burden returned to
her home in Horse Branch last Sat-
urday after visiting her son, Hardin
Burden.

Miss Amelia Southard, of Prentiss,
was the guest of Miss Nellye Harris
last Saturday and Sunday.

Robby Burton left for Nebo last
Sunday for a three months visit
among relatives.

James Likens spent the day in
Rosine last Sunday.

Messrs. Charlie Griffin and Joe

Miller, Jr., of Hartford, were here
last Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Collins, of Memphis,
Tenn., arrived here last Sunday to
be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mc-
Dowell Fair.

Geo. Tinsley was in Hartford yes-
terday.

W. S. Vick, Owensboro, was here
yesterday.

Mrs. A. V. Bennett and Rhoda
Pool were in Hartford yesterday.

C. K. Reneer resigned his position
as city police last night, G. W. Bur-
ton was appointed in his place.

Miss Minnie Lee Tinsley returned
to her home to-day after a visit of
eight days with relatives in Center-
town.

Messrs. E. H. Massie and E. C.
Babbage, of Louisville, were here
to-day.

David Watkins, of Central City,
was here to-day.

Chas. Cargal was in Beaver Dam
to-day.

Chas. Carr, of Nelson was here to-
day.

CASTORIA.

Bears the
Signature
of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

SULPHUR SPRINGS.

June 7.—The young people of
this place went on a fishing excu-
sion Saturday evening near Narrows
there is no doubt but that the young
folks all had a nice time.

Cecil Thompson, of this place, is
visiting relatives and friends in War-
ren county this week.

Miss Cora Magan was the guest of
her niece, Mrs. Eva Duff, Narrows,
Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Wedding, Evansville,
Ind., is visiting Charlie Huff and
family this week.

Miss Cliffee Acton was the guest
of Miss Artie Duff Sunday.

Mrs. Cook Bean and son, Charlie,
visiting near Beaver Dam, this
week.

The Sunday school at Mt. Vernon
is progressing nicely.

THE TIE THAT BINDS

Your Life with Your Practical Every-
Day Way of Living

Is the knowledge that you hold within the grasp of your pocket book, the where-with-al to furnish your homes tastefully, and with a degree of simple eloquence, and to dress yourself, your wife and children as they should be. We are doing a safe and sane business and no "Frenzied financial statements" emanate from our store for we do not ask the public to take our word, as we extend to each and everyone a most cordial invitation to visit us, inspect our goods, compare our prices with our competitors, and let us show you how easily we can furnish your homes, dress you in the latest patterns, and feed you with the best the market affords. However small your purse may be, with our low prices, our large assortments we cannot fail to interest you. We are now displaying one of the largest stocks of Dress Goods, Notions, Clothing, Shoes, Hosiery, Drugs, Carpets and Mattings ever offered. One visit will suffice to show you the wisdom of our words and we assure you before hand an agreeable surprise at the amount of goods you can buy from us with a little money. We are one price to all, first come first served, and all receiving the same courteous attention. We have established a reasonable living price on our goods, and we invite you one and all to come and be convinced, for seeing is believing, and remember each penny spent for goods with high prices is a useless waste of money. We can handle all the Hay, Corn, Wool and country produce we can get and will pay you as high a price for your goods as anyone.

Dress Goods and Notions.

We have spared no expense to bring our departments up to a standard where they could pass an examination of the most critical buyer. You will find that we can gladden the heart of the most fastidious, and show you goods that will please both young and old. Our prices are low, our lines complete, so make us a visit and let us save you money.

Clothing and Shoes.

First impressions are the most lasting, so why not let us fit you in one of our Suits, and let it be a favorable one. We can show you the cheapest, the best and the most desirable patterns in Clothes to be found in Ohio county. Our line of Shoes is complete in every particular, as we are showing Blacks, Tans, Oxfords, Patent Leather, both in High and Low-Cuts. Our prices cannot be beat, and for men youths and children a visit to our Clothing and Shoe Departments will prove to you that we carry the latest patterns with price to suit all.

Drugs.

Our Drugs are new and fresh, complete in every detail, and are presided over by a pharmacist with thirty (30) years experience. Each and every prescription is carefully compounded, with no substitution. Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumes, Paints and Oils, in fact, everything which tends to make a Drug Department complete, will be found in our line of goods.

Groceries.

Our Grocery Department is now nearing completion from a thorough overhauling and enlarge-
ment and we will offer to the public the most complete line of eatables the market affords.

Other Lines, Etc.

In Hosiery, Carpets, Lace Curtains, Umbrellas and Parasols you will find we are abreast with the times and demands, and your attention is called to the fact that our prices are always the best, our goods the latest and newest and consequently your satisfaction will be the greater by trading with us. To our friends and patrons a continuance of your patronage is solicited and to those who have not visited our store we most cordially invite you to make a visit for we feel sure that we can interest you in both prices and goods.

Yours for Trade,

The Brown Mercantile Co.,

McHenry, Kentucky.

They Are at Fairs.'

We mean those light, cool, airy goods that will soon demand the attention of every child, lady and gentleman. Anticipating the jump from cool to hot weather we prepared weeks ago to accommodate our patrons by giving the lightest, coolest Fabrics the market affords.

Wash Goods.

We are showing the completest line of Wash Goods, Organdies, White Goods, Persian Lawns, Mulls, Swisses, Etc., that we have ever offered to the buying public. No lady can go through our immense stock of these goods without being suited. They range in price from 5c to 25c per yard. Beautiful assortment of Laces and Lace all-overs to go with them. Get our prices. Samples sent on request.

Furnishing Goods.

You will find a vast assortment of Underwear for Ladies and Gentleman, the newest ideas in Silk and Wash Belts for Ladies, the prettiest things in Hosiery, all the latest in Ladies Neckwear, the prettiest Fans in Hartford, the biggest Ribbon stock—all shades and prices. All these besides many more things in furnishing goods are found right in stock. Come, let us show you through.

Fairs' Millinery.

Decidedly the prettiest and cheapest in Hartford. New arrivals every week. Now that the season is considerably advanced, we are going to make some prices that should interest every lady in our community. Come, let us show you the goods and make you the prices, then we are sure the trade will be made.

To much stock and too little space to quote you prices on all our summer Merchandise. We solicit your patronage, and ask you to come early and inspect our line. Bring us your Wool, Eggs, Feathers, Ginseng, Etc. Highest prices paid.

—AT—
The Bargain Center



Buster Brown Collars for children at Fairs'.

Thirty-inch White Habutae Wash Silk 50c at Fairs'.

No doubt about Fairs' Wash goods being the prettiest in Hartford.

Dr. A. F. Stanley left Tuesday for a few weeks vacation in Oklahoma.

Thirty-six inch guaranteed Black Taffeta Silk \$1.00 per yard at Fairs'.

Bring your Hams, Wool, Eggs, Chickens, and Feathers to Carson & Co.

The American Lady Corset, with Hose Supporters attached, found at Fairs'.

Mr. Nicholas Barrass, Taylor Mines, was a very pleasant caller Tuesday.

We have a great assortment of low cut Shoes for ladies and men. CARSON & Co.

To cut a long story short, our \$10 and \$12 Spring Suits are dandies. CARSON & Co.

We have thin coats for little men, for slim and fat men at thin prices. CARSON & Co.

Don't forget those nice Steak and Fish Meals at City Restaurant when in Hartford.

You can find anything that you might wish for in Thin Dress at Carson & Co's.

Mrs. E. A. Cottrell, Pensacola, Fla., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Lucy Hubbard.

Good Judges of Clothing are buying our \$10, \$12 and \$15 Suits on sight. CARSON & Co.

I haven't seen anything just like those new belts they are showing this week at Long & Co.

Get your Meals and Lunches, when in Hartford at City Restaurant. Everything good to eat.

Allover Laces and dainty insertions and in fact any kind of new Novelties you want is at Long & Co.

Mrs. Nancy Daniel, Mrs. Mary Wilson and Miss Minnie B. Wilson, Rosine, were pleasant callers Tuesday.

Leave your laundry at Cleve Her's grocery. Work guaranteed. Prompt delivery. Agent Richmond Laundry. 46tf

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Keown were the guests of Mrs. Keown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, at Noka, the first of the week.

WANTED.—Position as Stenographer or Bookkeeper. Good references if wanted. Address Box 514, Owensboro, Ky.

75,000 plants on hand at present. Eggs 50, to \$1.00 per Setting. E. M. MILLER, McHenry, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson returned Sunday from a few days visit to Mr. Wilson's father Mr. L. M. Wilson and other relatives at Prentiss.

Capt. J. G. Keown returned from Hopkinsville Thursday where he had been to convey Mrs. Jane Frankette to the Asylum.

Mrs. Sam Bach and little daughter, Fannie, will leave the last of the week for Louisville and Chicago to visit relatives for several weeks.

It's only a question with the Ladies what Style Hats they want. They know to see Mrs. Smith for the latest at Long & Co.

You know where you have been getting all of the very newest things in Wash Goods, just see what we've got in this week. LONG & Co.

Commonwealth's Attorney B. D. Ringo and family are the guests of Mrs. Ringo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Ryan, Schochoh, Ky.

After a few weeks visit to his family here, Mr. W. T. Woodward left Tuesday for Memphis, Tenn., where he will engage in contract carpenter work.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Carson have been the guests of Mrs. Carson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duke, near Sunnydale, for the past few days.

Mrs. E. L. White, of Sulphur Springs, Ky.; Mrs. Sam Collings and little daughter spent last Friday with Mrs. George D. Frishe, Anchorage, Ky., of Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buskill and son, Master Norman Griffin, Crawley La., arrived in town Monday to be the guests of Mrs. Buskill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Griffin, and other relatives and friends.

Little Miss Mary Render, Matanzas, is the guest of her sister Mrs. C. E. Smith.

Mr. Walton Petty, of Harrisburg, Arkansas, is the guest of the family of Judge R. R. Wedding.

Our high-grade Clothing costs no more than the common kind sold everywhere. CARSON & Co.

J. E. Fogle is in Owensboro attending the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Kendall, who died there yesterday.

Your Hosiery is on display when you wear your low-cut Shoes. New patterns in Hosiery here. CARSON & Co.

John B. Foster will leave to-day for St. Louis, Niangua, and Marshfield, Mo., on a two or three week's prospecting tour.

See those Binders, Mowers, Hayrakes, Cultivators, Plows, Disc Harrows and Drills, now going at cost. D. L. D. SANDERFUR, 45tf3 Beaver Dam, Ky.

News letters from Centertown and Smallhouse reached us yesterday at 2 o'clock and at that time we had no room for them. We are sorry to omit them but we had not the room when arrived.

The Hartford and Evansville packet, "We Three," gave an excursion from Hartford to Rough River locks last Sunday. She carried about forty five excursionists all of whom report quite a pleasant trip.

After spending a few days at home here Col. C. M. Barnett, accompanied by his sons, Masters Alison and Estil left Tuesday for Louisville from there they went to Washington D. C. They will be absent about two weeks.

WANTED—Ten reliable men to sell Nursery Stock. Cash advanced weekly. Address Highland Nursery, Cloverport, Ky. 45tf6

Hon. John J. McHenry, and Alfred Eskridge, of Louisville, Mr. Ernest Eskridge and Mrs. Thomas Watkins, Owensboro, and Mr. Guy Williams, Philadelphia, Pa., attended the funeral of Mr. Lyman Williams here, last Saturday.

Comrade G. W. Bunker, Preston Morton Post No. 4, J. L. Carson, M. S. Ragland, Chaplain, J. A. Bennet, J. A. Park, J. C. Chamberlin and others attended the funeral of G. W. Rowe, Sr., at Central Grove Wednesday.

A new voting precinct was established at Render one at Arnold, a part of Rosine precinct was added to East Beaver Dam and Prentiss voting precinct was assigned to the Hartford Magisterial District by order of County Court Monday.

ESTRAY—One pale red heifer with short crumpled horns heavy built unmarked, now about 3 years old. Has been gone from my farm near Sulphur Springs since June, 1904. A liberal reward will be paid for return of same or any information leading to recovery. SCHUYLER S. ACTON, Sulphur Springs, Ky.

WANTED—BY CHICAGO MANUFACTURING HOUSE, person of trustworthiness and somewhat familiar with local territory as assistant in branch office. Salary \$18 paid weekly. Permanent position. No investment required. Business established. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Address, Manager Branches, 323 Dearborn St., Chicago.

Mr. G. W. Rowe, Sr., died at his home in the Central Grove neighborhood at an early hour Wednesday morning after a lingering illness of cancer on his limbs and which during the last few weeks appeared on his body. His remains were interred in the Central Grove cemetery Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Rowe was a Federal soldier during the War of the Rebellion and was widely known in the Western part of the county.

After a lengthy and somewhat stormy session of the Board of Trustees of the town of Rockport held last Monday night for the purpose of considering the granting of license to T. W. Enger to sell whisky in that town the license was refused. The applicant and those opposing the granting of license were represented by attorneys and the long drawn out arguments as to the town Board's duties in the matter held the body together until midnight.

The Board of Trustees of Hart-

During Sales

Is not the only time you can get real values here for we always have very low prices and good goods.



We are Giving Special Reduced Prices on Clothing.

If you have not purchased your Clothing give us a call.

Shoes! Shoes!

We have Shoes to suit any body in fit, price, quality and style. We have just received a fresh stock of Low Cut Shoes for Men in Patent Leathers, Tans and Vici's. We have a dressy line of Shoes and Slippers for Women and Children. We can give a nice Ladies' Slipper \$1.10 and up.

Latest Style Hats for Men can be had from \$1 up.

We express our gratitude to all who have given us their kind patronage during our Street Fair Sale and we express our regret that we were unable to wait on all who attended this sale. This sale is over, but all who did not have the opportunity to come to this sale can still get great bargains in everything.

SAM BACH.

Opportunity Is Knocking At Your Door.

Don't let it slip by unimproved. A splendid chance to furnish your home with the newest and best line of Furniture at a big saving in price, is now offered. When in need of Furniture of any description come direct to A. C. Taylor, the Furniture man, he can fit you out.

A beautiful line of Buggies, Surries, Traps, Drive Wagons and Harness always in stock. All goods of the newest and latest designs. All first-class. It's to your interest to visit my store.

A. C. TAYLOR, Hartford, Ky.

ford College at a meeting held last Friday night elected the following teachers for the ensuing year. Prof. L. N. Gray, President, Mrs. L. N. Gray, Vice President, Mrs. Lucy Wedding, Sub-Collegiate, A. S. Tanner, Intermediate, Mrs. Julia Wedding, Primary Department. Prof. Gray and Mrs. Lucy Wedding are the only members of the old faculty retained.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Park, of Clear Run, neighborhood, celebrated the twenty-first anniversary of their son, Ivan, by spreading an elaborate dinner for quite a number of invited guest last Sunday. There were sixty-seven persons present and dined with them, all except four or five being children or grandchildren of Esq. J. A. Park, father of Mr. John Park. It was indeed a most enjoyable day for all present.

Notice.

A Colt Show for Montochristo's get of 1904 and foaled in 1905, will be held at Centertown the first Saturday in August. Best colt \$10.00, second best \$5.00, cash.

F. M. ALLEN

Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, JUNE 9.

Illinois Central Railroad--Time Table.

North Bound.	South Bound.
No. 132 due 4:57 a. m.	No. 121 due 11:31 a. m.
No. 123 due 12:30 p. m.	No. 101 due 2:53 p. m.
No. 102 due 2:37 p. m.	No. 131 due 9:40 p. m.

NOTICE—THE REPUBLICAN will print free of charge Memory Notices, Obituaries, Resolutions of Respect, Etc., to the extent of 150 words. All over that amount we charge for at the rate of 1c per word, cash in advance. Articles in excess of 150 words will be cut down to required limit unless money is sent with manuscript. Poetry is a word in every instance.

Prettiest Fans are at Fairs'.

Nazareth Waists for children at Fairs'.

My! My! that good Fish at City Restaurant.

You will look well in one of our \$10 Spring Suits.

Buy your Clothing at Fairs'. Style and prices right.

Mr. J. H. Davis, Taffy, called to see us last Saturday.

William Hamilton, McHenry, called to see us yesterday.

See the fine line of Cakes and Crackers at City Restaurant.

All kinds of sewing machine Supplies at City Restaurant.

J. F. Park, Olaton, was a very pleasant caller last Friday.

The newest Belts are at Fairs'.

Buy your Commencement Dress at Fairs'.

J. D. Myers, Olaton, was a pleasant caller Tuesday.

My! my! what nice Vegetable Soup at City Restaurant.

Burial Caskets for sale by P. L. Wood, Ceralvo, Ky. 42tf2

See Fairs for dainty Laces, Insertion, Embroideries, Etc.

Hot Fish, Corn Bread and Coffee at City Restaurant. So good.

Try those Sweet and Sour Pickles at City Restaurant. So nice.

Mr. John H. Park, Taffy, was a very pleasant caller Saturday.

Fairs' 5c and 10c Bargain Basement should interest you. Visit it.

Those ten dollar Suits you get for five are stunners at Long & Co.

Dr. J. S. Smith, McHenry, was a very pleasant caller Wednesday.

They certainly have a swell line of Shoes and Low Cuts at Long & Co.

Everything good to eat at City Restaurant. Most up-to-date place in Hartford.

Oh! those lovely Fans, I must have one for next week. At Long & Co., of course.

Capt. Robert Decker, Rockport, was a very pleasant caller while in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker are the proud parents of a fine new 14 pound boy born the 4th inst.

The newest thing in Ribbon ever seen or heard of, they are showing at Long & Co. Every half yard different colors.

SOME SECRETS OF PATENT MEDICINES

The History Of the Origin of Many
of These Remedies Has
Been Peculiar.

VISIT TO A LABORATORY

Process of Manufacture as Seen in
an Establishment Known as
Buffalo's Seventh Wonder.

If we could trace the origin of the many things which enter into our daily life we would doubtless be greatly surprised at what we would learn. In some instances we would find that they had their beginning in mere accident. In other cases we would find that they originated in some stroke of genius. In still others we would find that they are the direct outgrowth of patience and persistence. In others we would discover that some article which is of constant and almost universal use was known to only the few until some man decided to give what he knew to be of great benefit to the whole world.

The history of the origin of proprietary, or as they are more commonly known, patent medicines, has in some instances been peculiar. For instance, a certain tonic which is dispensed at all soda water fountains and is found most refreshing by thousands of persons, and which is used constantly by many brain workers, was originated by a Harvard professor. It was found to be so beneficial that this professor afterward determined to put it upon the market in shape for use by all who desired. The result has been that not only is this tonic used with benefit by almost untold numbers but the professor's family is in receipt of a large income from the sale. There is certainly nothing wrong in this. The professor conferred a benefit upon mankind and he was surely entitled to reap the reward of his labors.

Many other patent medicines have a similar history. For instance, again, Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines—known throughout the world as the "Favorite Prescription" and the "Golden Medical Discovery"—were first used by Doctor Ray V. Pierce, in his private practice, with great success. He finally determined that he could do more good to suffering humanity by placing them on public sale where they could be obtained without the expense of a physician's prescription, than he could by simply retaining them in private practice. And so he defied the ethics of his profession, which deny physicians the right to advertise, and he is now known as not only the proprietor of one of the best of the many patent medicines but as one of the world's greatest advertisers. Because he has been a liberal patron of the newspapers for over one-third of a century, Dr. Pierce has never suffered any in the estimation of his fellow townsmen at Buffalo, where his mammoth establishment is located, for they have given him many honors, sent him to Congress and State Senate, and he is recognized as a progressive and public-spirited citizen.

Many attacks have been made upon patent medicines of late. For some reason certain persons have felt themselves called upon to decry their use, to throw doubt upon their efficacy, to question their honesty as well as the honor of those who have spent a lifetime in perfecting them and making their value known to the public. But in answer to these attacks an investigation was demanded and it was proven that these medicines which for nearly forty years had retained the confidence of the public did have merit and honesty behind them. The thing which is of no value in this world has a short existence, and if the Pierce Family Medicines were not what they are claimed to be they would not have a proved record of millions of cures in the period during which they have been upon the market.

One of the most interesting establishments in Buffalo is the World's Dispensary, where these medicines are manufactured. Here Dr. Pierce maintains a great laboratory for the manufacture of the remedies which bear his name. He also has a hospital adjunct, known as the Invalids' Hotel, where thousands of persons have gone for special treatment. This laboratory and hospital are visited by many curious persons to whom the name of Doctor Pierce is known and who desire to see the establishment which he has built up because of the efficacy of his remedies. It is worth a visit. It employs a force of about 350 persons, including physicians, surgeons, chemists, bacteriologists, pharmacists and other professional men.

To the observer, perhaps the most interesting department of this place is the laboratory, where the Pierce Family Remedies are made. The difference between the maker of a patent medicine and a private practitioner is simply that while the latter buys the medicines which he gives his patient or gives him a prescription which he takes to the druggist and which the latter puts up in a small dose, behind a partition, where you can not see him, the patent medicine maker takes the ingredients which he knows will produce certain desired effects and puts them together in large quantities. But the latter does his work just as carefully and just as scientifically as do the physician and the druggist. At least that is the rule in Dr. Pierce's establishment.

The Pierce Medicines are made of roots and herbs and barks of known and tried properties. These are gathered in the woods and fields by experts and are brought to Dr. Pierce's establishment in large quantities. There are bins and bins of these roots and herbs and barks, ready for the use of the chemists when needed. Let us suppose that it is time to make up a quantity of the "Favorite Prescription." The necessary ingredients are taken from the storage bins and carried to the mill, where they are ground. Then they are taken to the laboratory, where they are mixed in the proper proportions and put to steep in great vats containing 800 gallons. This laboratory is just as cleanly as a woman's kitchen. All the machinery is run by electricity and there is entire absence of anything to create dust and dirt. When these ingredients have been

properly combined the medicine is rapidly bottled, the bottles corked and sealed, then labeled, then wrapped and then packed for shipment to almost every point in the world.

Another interesting department in this establishment is that devoted to printing the familiar little yellow covered memorandum books which bear the Pierce name. Something like 65,000 of these are printed and sent out every day. The hospital, or Invalids' Hotel, is patronized by hundreds of sufferers from various ills who come there because they are assured of the most scientific treatment. A large staff of specialists is maintained in connection with this hospital and for the purpose of caring for the immense number of inquiries which come constantly from all directions concerning the writers' ailments. Each letter of this sort goes to the proper specialist and receives his individual care from the beginning to the end. No business such as is done at this Buffalo establishment could have on honorable and successful record of nearly forty years if it were conducted on any other basis. Honesty and honor count in the patent medicine business, as in all others.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

What Elizabeth Thought Her Aunt
Would Be Apt to Do.

Mrs. Jones was going to the cemetery to visit her mother's grave and had taken the five-year-old daughter of her most intimate friend with her. The child had always called her "aunt" and evidently wished to know the full particulars of the mother's death.

"Aunt, did your mother die lying down or sitting up?"

"Never mind, dear, I do not remember. Here we are, and I am going to plant some seeds, so you can play around if you like."

Mrs. Jones had planted the seeds and was gently raking the earth back when she saw Elizabeth coming toward her with a most horrified expression upon her face.

"Oh, look out, aunt, you might rake your mother up!" — Lippincott's Magazine.

His Only Wish.

"Tomorrow is your birthday," said little Fauntleroy Jenkins' mother, "and I want you to tell me what you wish me to give you."

Grateful tears sprang to the eyes of the curled darling as he fervently answered:

"I don't want a single thing in this world but a hair cut." — Washington Star.

As They Heard Him.

D'Auber—I was certainly tickled at what Crittick said about me.

Knox—Why, what was that?

D'Auber—You heard him. He said I was a deft colorist.

Knox—I understood him to say "daft." — Philadelphia Press.

They Come High.

She (pouting)—Before we were married you used to bring me candy every time you came.

He (briskly)—Yes, my dear, and it cost a good deal less than the meat and potatoes I bring you now. — New York Weekly.

The Old Gag.



The Persistent One—This is the last time that I shall ever ask you to be my wife.

The Fair One—Oh, this is so sudden!

Poor Woman!

She—I hope you'll like the birthday cigars I gave you, dear. You'll be glad to know anyway that I paid cash for them; they weren't charged.

He—Really? I thought they were, but I didn't know what with. — Philadelphia Ledger.

ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

Various Uses For Vinegar In the Work of the Household.

Decanters can be cleaned most expeditiously and satisfactorily if a half gill of vinegar is mixed with a handful of salt and some of this poured into the decanters and shaken. The vinegar cuts the grease, and the salt is sufficiently gritty to rub off any sediment on the sides of the bottle. Rinse the glass well with clear water.

Vinegar has many uses. Mixed with stove blacking it makes the polish stick better and gives a higher gloss.

Vinegar will brighten a shabby carpet too. Put a teacupful into a pail of warm water and wash the carpet all over with this, wringing

out a cloth to do so. The carpet must first have been carefully brushed, of course, and then merely dampened in the process. If possible let it become thoroughly dry before walking on it.

A Queer Tidbit.

How many of you have ever tasted cakes of ants? No, not the kind made by ants, but with ants. The children of other countries are as fond of cakes made of these insects as the New England boys and girls are of crullers.

In Africa the natives wash the ants and fry them in butter very much as we would fritters. These cakes are regarded as great delicacies and in that land are said to taste like nuts.

Wrote a Sermon When Six Years Old.

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Sentence Sermons.

[Chicago Tribune.]
Piety is more than phrases.
Preaching down never lifts up.
Knocking is only tributary to living.

Self sacrifice is but wise investment.

Saints are no more than sapless sinners.

Our love makes the level of our lives.

Failure is fortune if it cures flabbiness.

Heroic hearts come from hard places.

Prosperity easily builds its own prison.

Straw always stacks up higher than grain.

Sham sanctity has caused much sincere sin.

Loyalty to one truth involves hospitality to all.

Narrowing the mind does not cause it to rise.

The smaller the fool the greater the folly may be.

Many heavenly tune has been spoiled by a holystone.

Theology is no more religion than an inventory is a stock.

He who does not fear the judge within must face the judge without.

The good will of the good is not gained by ignorant the will of God.

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ORIGIN OF NAMES.

Some of the Appellations of Animals Have an Interesting History.

[Chicago Chronicle.]

Some of the names of the commonest animals are lost in the dimness of antiquity, such as fox, weasel, sheep, horse, dog and baboon. Of the origin of these the clew is forever lost. With camel one cannot go further back than the Latin word camelus, and elephant is derived from the old Hindoo word elph, which means an ox. The old root of the word wolf meant one who tears or rends.

Lynx is from the same Latin root as the word lux (light), and probably was given to these wildcats on account of the fierce brightness of their eyes. Lion is, of course, from the Latin leo, which word, in turn, is lost far back in the Egyptian tongue, where the word for the king of beasts was labu. The compound word leopard is first found in the Persian language, where pars stands for panther. Seal, very appropriately, was once a word meaning of the sea.

Puma, jaguar, tapir and peccary (from paquires) are all names from South American Indian languages. The coyote and ocelot were called coyoti and ocelote by the Mexicans long before Cortez landed on their shores.

Moose is from the Indian word mouswah, meaning wood-eater; skunk, from seganku, an Algonquin term; wapiti, in the Cree language, means white deer, and was originally applied to the Rocky Mountain goat, but the name is now restricted to the American elk. Caribou is also a native Indian word; opossum is from possonne, and raccoon is from the Indian arrathkune (by further aphersis, coon).

Rhinoceros is pure Greek, meaning horned, but beaver has indeed had a rough time of it in its travels through various languages. It is hardly recognizable as bebrus, babru and bru. The latter is the ultimate root of the English word brown. The original application was doubtless on account of the color of the creature's fur. Otter goes back to Sanskrit, where it is udra. The significance of this word is in its close kinship to udan, meaning water.

The little mouse hands his name down through the years from the old, old Sanskrit, the root meaning to steal. The word rat may have been derived from the root of the Latin word vadere, to scratch or rodere, to gnaw. Rodent is derived from the latter term. Cat is also in doubt, but is first recognized in catulus, a diminutive of canis, a dog. It was applied to the young of almost any animal, as the English word pup, kitten, cub, &c. Bear is the result of tongue-twisting, from the Latin fera, a wild beast.

Deer is of obscure origin, but may have been an adjective, meaning wild. Elk is derived from the same root as eland, and the history of the latter word is an interesting one. It meant a sufferer, and was applied by the Teutons to the elk of the old world on account of the awkward

gait and stiff movements of this ungainly animal.

Squirrel has a poetic origin in the Greek language, its original meaning being shadow-tail. Tiger is far more intricate. The old Persian word tir meant arrow, while tigra signified sharp. The application to this great animal was in allusion to the swiftness with which the tiger leaps upon its prey.

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Vanceburg, August 16-4 days.
Guthrie, August 17-3 days.
Shelbyville, August 22-4 days.
Springfield, August 23-4 days.
Nicholasville, August 29-3 days.
Bardstown, August 30-4 days.
Florence, August 30-4 days.
Elizabethtown, September 5-3 days.
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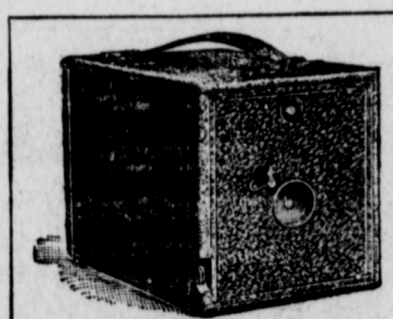
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COUNTY COURT ORDERS.

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Special term May 3.—Cynthia Shull qualified as guardian, of Hershel Shull.

John B. Renfrow qualified as administrator, of Fitzhugh Renfrow, deceased.

Miss Stella Wærner, qualified as deputy Circuit Court Clerk.

Special term May 8.—C. L. Martin, appointed and qualified as constable, of Buford, Magisterial District.

Special term May 9.—J. B. Mitchell, Charles C. Crumes and John D. Myers, appointed appraisers of the estate of Sam M. Wilson.

Special term May 10.—Sam Gentry, appointed and qualified as guardian, of Barbary Shultz.

Special term May 15.—Lon Barnard, qualified as Road and Bridge Commissioner, of Centertown district.

W. R. Moseley, qualified as Road and Bridge Commissioner, of Buford district.

R. H. Raines qualified as Road and Bridge Commissioner, of Cromwell district.

Special term May 17.—Thomas F. Johnson, qualified as Road and Bridge Commissioner, of Sulphur Springs district.

Special term May 22.—Aldert Cox, qualified as administrator, of R. W. Hegerman, deceased.

Special term May 24.—Laura Felix, qualified as administrator, of William Felix, deceased.

R. H. Barnes, qualified as Road and Bridge Commissioner, of Hartford district.

J. J. Smith, qualified as Road and Bridge Commissioner, of Fordsville district.

Special term May 25.—W. P. Arhby, qualified as administrator, of Charlie Bullock, deceased.

Special term May 26.—Y. L. Moseley, qualified as administrator, of R. F. Romas deceased.

Regular term June 5.—S. L. Fulkerson and others, motion for local option election at Rockport, continued for report of election.

Commonwealth of Kentucky against First National Bank, same against Central Coal and Iron Co., same against McHenry Coal Co., same against the Deanfield Coal Co., dismissed without prejudice.

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W. C. Knott et al motion for ditch; report of Commissioner filed and continued for exceptions.

J. M. Miller et al motion for ditch; continued for report of Commissioners and J. B. Wilson appointed to survey the route.

An order was made establishing Arnold voting precinct with voting place at Arnold, said precinct is bounded as follows:

Beginning at corner of Ohio and Grayson counties, thence with Grayson county line to Caney Creek, thence down said creek, to Cromwell and Leitchfield road, thence with said road to Sixes Creek, thence down said creek to Butler county line, thence with said line to the beginning.

An order was made establishing a new voting precinct with voting place at Render with boundary as follows:

Commencing at the whistling post on the I. C. Railroad near Brown's Mercantile Store; thence to the McHenry and Centertown road with said road to the intersection of same and the Hartford and Rockport road at Milton Parks; thence with said Hartford and Rockport road to the intersection of the Hartford and Centertown road; thence North-east with the old voting precinct No. 15 line to the intersection of the McHenry and Beaver Dam road, and with said road to the corporate limits of the town of Hamilton, and thence with said corporate line to the beginning so as to include all the incorporated town of McHenry.

The voting place in Select precinct was changed from Baizetown to Select.

The following boundary was taken from Rosine precinct and added to East Beaver Dam. Beginning at the bridge on Muddy Creek, north of Marion Sandifur's, thence up said creek to the road, thence with said road to Hickory church, thence on straight line of the South-westerly direction to the line of the East Beaver Dam, voting precinct.

CANE RUN.

June 5.—Farmers are busy working in their crops.

Jesse P. Wilson, wife and son were the guests of J. M. Christian last Sunday.

Miss May Sanders, of this place has gone to Louisville to visit relatives.

Arthur Craig, of Leitchfield, was the guest of J. G. Wilson last Sunday night.

Estill Riley, wife and daughter, Gola, Mrs. Rena Wilson and children and Miss Nola Boyd visited their aunt, Mrs. Sarah Axton, at Horse Branch Sunday.

Little Clara Goodwine who was reported very ill last week died Monday night. Her remains were interred in the Salem burying ground Tuesday.

Mrs. Ret Wilson visited her mother, Mrs. Phieby Christian Sunday.

Farris Jamison was the guest of his brother Sam Jamison Sunday night.

Miss Pearl Wilson, Friedland, visited at Fordsville last week and returned home Saturday.

Call For Convention.

At a meeting of the Republican committee of the Fordsville Magisterial District held at Fordsville, Ky., on June 5th, 1905. It was ordered that a mass convention for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Magistrate and Constable for said district be held at Fordsville at 2 o'clock p. m., on Saturday, June 17, 1905.

J. W. HALE, Ch'm'n. Dist. Com.

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ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

Compound For Cleaning Rugs, Draperies and Furniture.

The following recipe makes one of the finest compounds for cleaning Smyrna rugs, chenille draperies, plush covered couches and furniture, etc., says Boston Cooking School Magazine:

Shave two and one-half bars of laundry soap fine and boil until it is dissolved in one and one-half quarts of soft water; add half a pound of borax; boil ten minutes longer; steep three ounces of soap bark in a quart of water for half an hour and strain; add one-fourth of a pint of aqua ammonia, put into a quart of cold water; mix all together and add water enough to make good six gallons. Soft water is preferred. Set aside to cool and cover to keep clean. When ready to use dust the articles well and apply with a good large brush, rubbing vigorously; then wipe with a cloth until quite dry. For doing large rugs it is desirable to have two people working, one to follow up with the dry cloth as soon as a space is rubbed.

Packing Away Clothes.

Never hang a skirt by the bottom. Fasten it at the back and suspend it evenly from two loops sewed on either side of the band. If possible secure for it a wire skirt form, as the results are more satisfactory. Always hang a skirt at full length, whether for an hour or for several months.

If there are ribbon trimmings on the clothes the ends should be rolled and pinned and the loops stuffed with tissue paper, which is invaluable in putting away clothes for a season. All metal trimmings and buttons should be carefully covered with paper.

Hang clothing always in preference to folding, but if there is not enough closet room pack loosely in pine chests, trunks or drawers, with plenty of paper between to avoid crushing.

Flowerpots.

Do not empty pots and put them away dirty, for the chances are that they will never get cleaned, and when cold weather comes plants will be hustled into them, with all their pores clogged with old dirt and absolutely unfit for use. When the plants are bedded out put the empty pots into a tub of water, let soak a few hours, scrub with an old whisk broom and drain dry. It takes but a little time, and the plants do enough better in them to pay for the trouble.—National Magazine.

Beaten Biscuit.

Make a stiff dough of a pint of flour, to which a teaspoonful of salt has been added and a cup of cold water. When well mixed put upon a floured pastry board or wooden block, and with a rolling pin beat steadily for fifteen minutes, turning and shifting the dough often that every inch may receive its punishment. Roll out, cut into rounds, prick each of these with a fork and bake.

A Burned Saucepan.

A burned saucepan can sometimes be saved by boiling a lump of washing soda in it. It must not be scraped first, but "set on" to boil, half filled with water and with a generous lump of the soda. This should soften the burned substance, which can then be easily removed.

To Drop Medicine.

To drop medicine without a dropper shake the bottle to moisten the cork. With the wet end of the cork moisten the edges of the mouth of the bottle, then, holding the cork under the mouth, let the fluid pass over the cork in droppings.

Sore Throat Cure.

A sore throat should never be neglected, especially in the time of epidemics. A cleansing gargle is made by dissolving a heaped teaspoonful of salt and carbonate of soda, mixed in equal quantities, in half a tumblerful of water.

To Freshen Carpets.

To the ordinary combination of warm water and ammonia, used for freshening carpets, add a teaspoonful of kerosene, and the result will be still more satisfactory than usual.

To Scent a Room.

Block ammonia placed in an earthen jar or vase with cologne poured over it will diffuse through a room a delicate odor that will be delightful and refreshing.

CROMWELL.

June 8.—Mrs. Jno. X. Taylor, of Earlington, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Martin.

Mrs. Netter Embry is visiting her brother, R. B. Martin, in Hartford this week.

Miss Lula Sorrels left for Texas this week. Fred Cooper, Beaver Dam, made

his usual visit at this place Sunday. Mrs. Bud Gentry and children, Woodberry, Ky., are visiting Judge Gentry and family this week.

Born, to the wife of Jno. W. Taylor, a 8 pound boy on May 30, Drs. Willis and Riley attending physicians. Dr. P. T. Willis was called Tuesday to the bedside of his mother at Rumsey who is very sick.

Chas. Rogers left Tuesday for Texas. His family will follow in a few days.

Mrs. Cornelia Tilford and daughter, Miss Corine, and Mrs. Flenner and son, of near town, are visiting at Beaver Dam and Render this week.

Card of Thanks.

To my many friends and relatives who procured the premium buggy offered by T. J. Turley & Co at the Hartford Street Fair for me I wish to extend my most hearty thanks and appreciation.

LAURENCE ALLEN.

NARROWS.

June 7.—W. S. Dean was nominated for Magistrate and Walter Midkiff, was nominated for Constable at the Republican Magisterial

Convention held at Sulphur Springs Saturday. Dundee has a monopoly of district candidates this year. Candidates of both parties for Magistrate and for Constable live at Dundee. Midkiff and Acton, rival candidates for constable, are parties in business.

Eugene Kirby has announced as an independent candidate for Constable. Kirby will speak at every school house in the district and his platform will be "down with the Dundee ring."

George Foreman had a misfortune over took him recently the like of which has fallen to but few men. Foreman actually lost his well. I indulge no metaphor. Foreman lost his well that had for many years furnished him an unfailing supply of water. Not a caving, not a sinking of the vein, but an actual obliteration from the face of the earth. Foreman lives in the valley of a small creek near here, and the heavy floods of a few weeks ago washed away the top tile of his well and filled it up to a leveled with the adjacent ground so perfectly that it will take a water witch to locate the

spot where the erstwhile well yielded up its cold and colorless fluid.

A new Baptist church will be built here this summer. A site has been purchased, and sufficient money has been pledged to build it.

Reg Bennett, who has been attending school at Elkton, came up Saturday to visit his parents.

Miss Annie Daniel is visiting friends at Friedland this week.

FOR SALE.

25,000 Very Fine Strawberry Plants.

Three Seasons, Early, Medium and Late. Six varieties to select from. Finest plants ever grown in this county. They grew berries this year nearly as large as a hen egg. June is a good time to set a bed and 3,000 will set an acre. 500 plants set this year will make more berries than one family can use next year. Get better ever year. Price of these plants now for June setting, \$7.00 for 1,000, \$4.00 for 500; \$2.50 for 250; \$1.50 for 100. Call on or address, E. HARREL, Rockport, Ky.

E. P. Barnes & Bro.'s Stores

Are the pride of the people. The giant of the Mercantile Arena is these stores.

As outfitters of all classes of Men, Women and Children, they are in a class to themselves. Every department of their establishment is under the direct supervision of the firm. All our Clothing is made according to our own directions. The models and patterns by which our Suits are cut are the handiwork of the most skillful draftsmen. The materials are the products of the best standard mills. Every Suit and pair of Pants sold by them is a trade winner. May they do you good in the sale of a Suit for yourself or your boy.

Men's stylish Belts 25c and 50c, Men's Negligee Shirts 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50, Men's stylish Neckwear 25c and 50c, Men's and Boy's Straw Hats 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50, all the newest and most fashionable shapes for the summer. Men's up-to-date Underwear 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 per garment. Men's stylish Half Hose and Suspenders.

Wash Goods Section.

A superb collection of the latest novelties of the season. An exclusive line of patterns that you won't find anywhere else that sells on sight at 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c per yard. Materials for both waists and



full suits. Our line of low priced wash Materials at 5c, 7 1/2c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 20c per yard are very attractive and many compare favorably with materials at twice their cost.

White Goods, Laces and Embroideries. We might fill one whole side of this paper on this line and then could not tell it all. You have only to see this line to be convinced of its superiority over any line in the county.

India Linens 5c to 30c per yard. Persian Lawns 15c to 75c per yard. Lace Stripes, Plaids and Figures 10c to 50c per yard. Embroideries and Insertings 5c to \$1.20 per yard. Laces 2 1/2c to 50c per yard. Remember that every day closes out some patterns of these exclusive styles. The sooner you come the better the selection.

Silk, Leather and washable Belts, each 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25. Turnovers 5c, 10c, 15c. Stocks, all new designs, each 25c and 50c.

Umbrellas and Fans.

The greatest variety of beautiful handles and coverings you ever saw. Black each 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$5.00. Colors each \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$3.00.

The warm June days direct that fanning must begin. Our Fan stock is one of the coolest propositions you ever went up against and costs you less money. You can buy beautiful designs at 5c, 10c and 15c each and the most exquisite styles at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 each.

Beaver Dam, Kentucky.